

**Tennessee Medical Laboratory Board**

**AGENDA (Amended 07/10/06)**

**Meeting Date: July 13, 2006**

**Location: Millennium Maxwell House  
2025 Metrocenter Blvd.  
Nashville, TN 37228**

**Time: 9:00 am CDT**

**Introduction: Nicole Armstrong, Advisory Attorney**

**Call the meeting to order.**

**9.\* Approve the minutes from the January 2006 TAB 9**

**A. Personnel & Education Committee. (04/12/06)**

**B. Full Board. (04/13/06)**

**10. Ratification of initial determinations of the Personnel & Education Committee July 12, 2006. TAB10**

**11. Contested Cases: No Cases TAB 11**

**12. Presentations to the board:**

**A. Peer Assistance Program TAB12**

**Mike Harkreader  
State Director  
TN Professional Advocacy Program (TNPAP)**

**B. Jerry Kosten  
Rules Manager HRB**

**1) Amendments:**

**a. Rule 1200-6-1.06-Fees.**

**b. Rule 1200-6-1-.12-Continuing Education.**

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- c. Rule 1200-6-1.22(1) (a) 5-Pathway for MT License.
- d. Rule 1200-6-3-.02-Licensing Procedures.
- e. Rule 1200-6-3-.19(2)-Preparatory Portions of Lab Tests.
- f. Rule 1200-6-3-.21-Renewal of Laboratory License.

Board's Response to Comments/Rulemaking Hearing,  
06/16/06.

Roll Call Vote Items a-f.

**C. Point of Care Exemption Requests:**

1. Holston Valley Medical Center Hospital-Kingsport, TN 37660.
2. Johnson City Medical Center-Johnson City, TN 37604
3. Fort Sanders Regional Medical Center-Knoxville, TN 37926.
4. Parkwest Medical Center-Knoxville, TN 37923.
5. Methodist LeBonheur Healthcare University Campus-Memphis, TN 38104.
6. Wellmont Bristol Regional Medical Center-Bristol, TN 37620.
7. Morristown-Hamblen Healthcare Lab-Morristown, TN 37814.
8. Laughlin Memorial Hospital-Greenville, TN 37745.
9. Henry County Medical Center-Paris, TN 38242.
10. Middle Tennessee Medical Center-Murfreesboro, TN 37133.
11. Cookeville Regional Medical Center-Cookeville, TN 38501.
12. Maury Regional Hospital-Columbia, TN 38401.
13. Horizon Medical Center-Dickson, TN 37055.
14. Centennial Medical Center-Nashville, TN 37203.

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**D. Direct More Than Three (3) Labs**

**1- Rick Michaelson, MD**  
**Medical Director of Laboratories**  
**Middle TN Medical Center**  
**Murfreesboro, TN 37130**

**2-Louis Seibert, MD**  
**Medical Director of Laboratories**  
**Sumner Regional Medical Center**  
**Gallatin, TN 37066-1558**

**E. Reinstatement of License.**

**F. Discussion and/or Board Requested Reports**

- 1. Joseph Holley, MD**  
**State EMS Medical Director**  
**Division of Emergency Medical Services**  
**Letter, Scope of Practice for EMT & EMT Paramedics**
- 2. Public Chapter 172, Public Acts 2005**  
**Tennessee Code Annotated**  
**Sections 68-5-801 through 804**  
**GFR Testing Procedures.**
- 3. (Vendor)-QC Monitoring During Patient Sample Runs**  
**Steve Lahr**  
**LIS Director**  
**Mountain States Health Alliance**  
**Johnson City, TN 37064.**

**G. Addition/Deletion Analyte(s)-Waived Test List**

**Lithium**  
**Department of Mental Health and Development Disabilities**

**13. Receive report from Board Director: TAB 13**

**14. Proficiency Testing Report TAB 14**  
**Complaint/Investigative Report**  
**State Surveyors**

**Medical Technologist Consultants/Surveyors**

**1. East Tennessee Regional Office**  
**Julia Daniels**

**2. Middle Tennessee Regional Office**  
**Sandra S. Bogard**  
**Onezean Otey, Jr.**

**3. West Tennessee Regional Office**  
**Mary Hamblen**  
**Karon Daniels**

**15. Receive reports from Health Related Boards. TAB 15**

**Robbie H. Bell**  
**Director**

**16. Receive reports from the Office of General Counsel. TAB 16**

**Robert Kraemer, Jr.**  
**OGC Board Advisory Attorney**

**17. Receive reports from the Bureau of Investigations. TAB 17**

**Denise Moran**  
**Director**

**Lea Ann Phelps**  
**Disciplinary Coordinator**

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18. Receive reports and/or requests from BHLR. TAB 18

**Bureau of Health Licensure and Regulation**

**Judy Eads**  
**Assistant Commissioner of Health**

**Administrative Services Director**  
**Lisa Tittle**

**Jim Patt**  
**Fiscal Officer**

19. Ratification per regional surveyor request-initial licenses: TAB 19

1. Kindred Hospital-Nashville, TN 37218
2. Westmoreland Medical Pavilion-Westmoreland, TN 37186
3. Memorial Health Partners Foundation Laboratory-  
Chattanooga, TN 37404.

20. Receive reports and/or requests from the Tennessee  
Point of Care Task Force TAB 20

21. Review eligibility as Medical Laboratory Director. TAB 21

1- Helen L. Drwinga, Ph.D.  
Apopka, FL.  
Director-Clinical Cytogenetics.

2-Abdul A. AlSaadi, Ph.D.  
Brentwood, TN 37027  
Director-Clinical Cytogenetics.

22. Other Business TAB 22

23. Adjourn

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